

The 1st Region VIII Health IT Roundtable

May 11, 2007

Agenda

Purpose: 1) To bring together leaders of 6 regional states to connect, to share, to discover common challenges and opportunities in eHealth; 2) To learn from international, national, and local experts in eHealth; and 3) To celebrate eHealth activities in our region.

7:00 - 8:00	Registration and Continental Breakfast	
8:00 – 8:15	Welcome	Joseph Cramer, Chair Utah Digital Health Service Commission
8:15 - 8:30	Meeting Objectives	Joseph Nunez, Director USDHHS Region VIII
8:30 - 9:15	Interoperability in a competitive world	Marshall Ruffin, Partner & Senior Executive Accenture Health & Life Sciences
9:15 – 9:30	Recognitions	Joseph Cramer, UDHSC Chair
9:30 – 10:10	Introductions to HIT Value Position Framework	Arthur Davidson, Director Public Health Informatics
10:10 – 10:25	Break	
10:25 - 12:30	State HIT Profiles (20 minute presentation with question/answer period)	
	Colorado	Lynn Dierker, Colorado Regional Hlth Information Organization
	Montana	Gail Briese-Zimmer, Department of Public Health and Human Services
	North Dakota	Jenny Witham, Information Technology Services
	South Dakota	Laurie Gill, Deputy Secretary of Health
	Wyoming	Wendy Curran, Health Policy Advisor to the Governor
	Utah	David Sundwall, MD, Utah Department of Health Executive Director
12:30 – 1:30	Lunch – Special Speaker	Governor Jon Huntsman Jr.
1:30 – 2:15	Panel discussion –	Kelly Cronin, Director of the Office of Programs for ONCHIT
	Greg Bell	Legislation Branch Utah State Senator
	Ronda Menlove	Legislation Branch Utah House of Representative
	Sharon Donnelly	Quality Improvement Healthcare Redesign/HIT Lead
	Stephen Fletcher	State Gov/Exec Branch Utah Chief Information Officer
	Dennis Moser	Rural Hlth, Hosp & Dist Edu Exec Dir Utah Center for Rural Health
	Michael Stapley	Insurance and RHIOS Pres DMBA/Brd of Dir Chair UHIN
	Kerry Stratford	Family Physician Utah Medical Association President
2:15 – 3:45	Roundtable Discussion Identify pertinent issues from each state	Jan Root, Assistant Executive Director of UHIN
3:45 – 4:00	Summarize Results from the Participants and Next Steps	Joseph Nunez, Director USDHHS Region VIII
4:00	Meeting Adjourn	